

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q68009

Jean-Pierre ROMBEAUT, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/042,177

Group Art Unit: 2661

Confirmation No.: 5963

Examiner: Unknown

Filed: January 11, 2002

For:

ROUTER PROVIDING CONTINUITY OF SERVICE OF THE STATE MACHINES

ASSOCIATED WITH THE NEIGHBORING ROUTERS

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The undersigned respectfully requests to be advised of the status of the above-identified application. The application was filed on January 11, 2002, and Applicants still await a first Office Action.

Respectfully submitted,

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